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AN ACT to amend Chapter 84 of the Private Acts of 1991; as amended by Chapter 140 of the Private Acts of 1996; Chapter 141 of the Private Acts of 1996; Chapter 121 of the Private Acts of 1998 and Chapter 132 of the Private Acts of 1998; and any other acts amendatory thereto, relative to the powers of the city council of Bristol, Tennessee under the charter of such city.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Chapter 84 of the Private Acts of 1991; as amended by Chapter 140 of the Private Acts of 1996; Chapter 141 of the Private Acts of 1996; Chapter 121 of the Private Acts of 1998 and Chapter 132 of the Private Acts of 1998; and any other acts amendatory thereto, is further amended by adding the following new, appropriately numbered subsection to Section 2-5:

() Prohibit ticket scalping. To prohibit the sale, or the offering for sale, of any admission ticket, or other evidence of the right of admission or entry, to any athletic contest or exhibition, motorsports race or other motorsports competitive event, amusement, game, concert, or performance in the city for an amount greater than the

price printed on the face of such ticket or other evidence of the right of admission or entry, and to provide a civil penalty for the violation thereof.

SECTION 2. This act shall have no effect unless it is approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the legislative body of the city of Bristol. Its approval or nonapproval shall be proclaimed by the presiding officer of such legislative body and certified to the secretary of state.

SECTION 3. For the purpose of approving or rejecting the provisions of this act, it shall be effective upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, it shall become effective as provided in Section 2.